

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	:	Yuichi Oku et al.	Confirmation No.:	8771
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Title	:	KIT, DEVICE AND METHOD FOR ANALYZING BIOLOGICAL SUBSTANCE		
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Examiner	:	Jeffrey S. Lundgren		
Docket No.	:	OKUY3002/GAL		
Customer No.	:	23364		

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action of October 27, 2010, in connection with the above identified application. The present response is timely filed.

Applicants respectfully request amendment of the above-identified application, and consideration of the following remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.